from wolves, inſtead of which there would be a conſociation, if there were a ſympathy betwixt them. Where a particular Example being recited of a Wolf keeping and defending ſheep; the thing is attributed to their being bred and fed together, and not to any natural Love.

Concerning the *fifth*, 'tis here affirmed, that there are Fiſhes under ground and in mines where waters are found, which may either be naturally met with amongſt earth, or conveyed thither by various accidents, inundation of rivers, abſorption of rivers, earth-quakes, &c. Where ſome relations are inſerted of odd things found under ground; as of a whole ſhip fit to ſail in the Sea, found A. 1594. near *Maeſtrich* under a ſandy hillock; and of another very old ſhip, found by mine-men A. 1462. not far from *Berne* in *Helvetia* under ground, together with its hempen ſails and anchors, &c; as alſo ſtore of Pine-trees, found in the *Peele* orderly placed under the Earth, which elſe grow in raiſed ground.

Touching the *Sixth*, viz. the Caſting of Horns by Staggs, 'tis here diſtinguiſhed, that Caſtrated Staggs do not caſt their Horns, but Entire ones do; yet not ſo, as that theſe latter are by good experience known to caſt them every year, though it be generally ſaid and believed that they do ſo; whereas in the mean time 'tis commonly held, that every year in the firſt ſix years ſome addition is made to the branched Horns; unleſs that be to be underſtood of a greater number of branches, growing every year, for ſo long a time, inſtead of the leſſer number caſt off.

Of this *Caſting*, the Cauſe is alſo here inquired, ſome adſcribing it to ſuch a cauſe, as maketh Leaves fall from Trees, by reaſon of the want of a glutinous moiſture; others imputing it to their too great Hardneſs, hindring the diffuſion of the copious affluent blood, out of which, being gathered about Autumn, worms in time are bred, which gnawing and thereby exciting the itch make the *animal* rub off its horns againſt ſome Tree; others refer it to both, as our Author.

Laſtly, of *Falling Stars*, vulgarly ſo called, they being in truth nothing but a Meteor: touching which this Author diſcuſſeth ſeveral Queſtions; as, How it comes to paſs, that at times the True Star, under which the trajection happens, doth not preſently appear? Whether thoſe Trajections of Stars do alſo happen in the day time? Why thoſe Stars when they fly through the Air, ſeem to repreſent a long courſe? why the motion of Falling Stars is ſlower at the latter end? &c.

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In *Numb.* 74. p. 2238. l. 24. read, *ninth of Auguſt v. ſt* not *n ſt.*

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